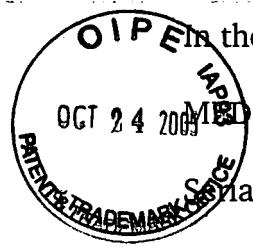
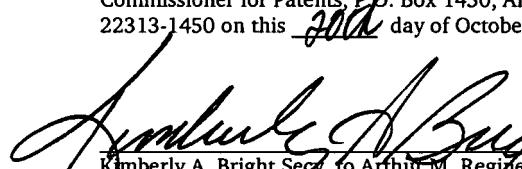


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Sir:

In response to an Office of Publication request, Applicants, through their attorney, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312, respond as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

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